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**FOUND**—Saturday morning, a man's fur cap. Owner may have same by paying for this advt. A. R. Maurer, Bassano. 25p

**FOR SALE**—FURBERED TANK, with hoars. P. Y. Clemens, Genl. Alberta. 25p

**LOST**—A PAIR OF LADIES' NAVY blue knit gloves with white stitching. Green lined, on Thursday, Dec. 21, reward. Box 48, Bassano Mail. 25c

In the five years 1927-1931, inclusive, the production of bicycles in Canada totaled 131,286, valued at \$5,076,205. There are three plants engaged in the industry.

For may be a fine, outstanding citizen, but that doesn't make any difference to a bassano skio.

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W. S. Playfair  
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## DUCHESSE NEWS

DUCHESSE, Dec. 27.—The Christmas, entertainment and tree given at the United Church, Dec. 21, was well attended, and the program rendered was very good. Santa Claus was there, and all the boys and girls were given treats.

On Christmas day Mrs. Grosfield and daughter Maxine rendered solos at the church service.

Mr. Spicer, Miss Charlotte Spicer, and Elizabeth Wittenberg rendered to the church service.

School closed last Thursday, Mrs. Peterson, principal, left for her home in High River; Miss McConnell, intermediate teacher, went to Calgary; Miss Cathro went to Bassano, all to spend their holidays. School re-

Mr. and Mrs. M. Purcell and Jean returned to Calgary to spend Christmas day, returning Monday evening. Mrs. Purcell's mother, Mrs. Smith, and sister, Miss Marion Smith, returned to Duesse with them for a visit.

The largest crowd seen at a dance in Duesse attended the one given at Dec. 25. Everybody had a good time. Another dance will be given Jan. 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dunsmore and children, of Brooks, ate Christmas dinner at the home of their mother, Mrs. O. Dunsmore, Little Rock, remained for a few days' visit.

Mr. Kest, who has been working at Jenner for several months, returned Tuesday last week. On Christmas eve he and Mrs. Kest left for Medicine Hat to spend the holidays.

Roy Banta is home from Calgary to spend the holidays.

Miss Dorothy Robinson is spending the holidays with home folks.

DUCHESSE, Dec. 26.—Word has been received of the death of Mrs. Martens Allen, of Detroit. Mrs. Allen was a frequent visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen, near of Milk River, but formerly proprietors of the Duesse hotel.

Quite a number from here attended the whist drive and dance at West Duesse Friday night. Mrs. Adams won lady's first prize and Mrs. Dunsmore the consolation. M. Purcell won gentlemen's first, and Mr. Kraemer the consolation.

A shower was given for Mrs. Alan Dunsmore on Dec. 14. Little Keith was as bridesmaid, and Little Carol Wenger as bride, came into the living room pushing a doll carriage beautifully decorated with servies and roses, and loaded with beautiful gifts. After the bride had opened all her gifts and everybody had admired them, delicious refreshments were served to the thirty ladies.

Mrs. Jewerick, of Natchez, who has been visiting the E. R. Sissons family, went to Calgary on Thursday to visit relatives.

C. J. Hole left on Monday for his home in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Horn and son Donald left Sunday for Edmonton to spend the Christmas holidays with home folks.

Ralph McDonald went to Calgary Monday for a holiday visit.

**MILLICENT NEWS**  
MILLICENT, Dec. 27.—Tom Charlton and Gilbert Brickley attended the program and dance at Patricia on Thursday, Dec. 21.

P. Duik returned last Thursday from the Bassano Hospital. The local program and dance on Wednesday, Dec. 21, was very well attended.

The Christmas trees for the three local schools were donated by Tom Charlton.

Mrs. W. B. Byles has returned from Saskatchewan.

Miss M. L. Nichol, the local school teacher, is spending the Christmas holidays in Medicine Hat.

Harold Bloch arrived home on Friday from the Old School of Agriculture.

The local U. A. will hold a card party at the school house on January 10.

John Phillips and Pete Lacourse left for St. Paul, Alta. on Monday. John Smith, of Wardlaw, was a business visitor here last Wednesday.

Miss D. Bloch and J. Jasseron left on Monday for Calgary.

The middle contest at Chatterton's store will be closed on Jan. 2nd.

Maurice Edwards, Bassano runner, was placed 2nd in the Calgary Herald road race on last Monday, Dec. 24. The race was won by H. Anderson, Calgary runner, in record time. Forty-one entrants finished the race. Young Edwards made a good showing for an inexperienced runner, and should do much better in another year.

The railways of United States are faced with a deficit of \$200,000,000.

Women as well as men served as jurors in his courts in the Middle Law.

## LOCAL NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Beck, Edwin and Bobby, of Lethbridge, spent Christmas in Bassano with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Ford.

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Keith went to Calgary for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Newby spent Christmas in Calgary with Mrs. Newby's parents.

Quentin Allen and Jack Drog, of Calgary, came down here to spend the week with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Sisson.

Miss Mary Cathro, of Duesse, is spending the Christmas school holidays with her parents in Bassano. Wm. Cathro, of Bowden, also spent Christmas with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Scott, of Calgary, were in Bassano Tuesday renewing acquaintances, with old friends here.

Richard Bond is home from Mount Royal College, Calgary, to spend the Christmas holidays in Bassano.

V. Hogan, C. P. R. telegraph operator, who has been transferred to Calgary, is moving to Stephen, west of Lake Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Simpson and baby daughter, and Miss B. Griffith spent Christmas in Brooks with Mrs. Simpson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bailey. Mrs. Bailey returned to Bassano a few days' visit.

Miss Marion Smith, of Calgary, was a Christmas week-end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Smith.

Miss Grace Scher, primary teacher, is spending the holidays at her home near Strathmore.

Frederick Holmes was home from Turner Valley for the Christmas week-end.

Miss Gladys Hayes left last Thursday for Tisdale, Sask, where she will reside with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hayes. Miss Hayes has been a resident of Bassano for many years, and her friends sincerely regret her departure.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Hatcheson and girls, returned to Glenora Christmas day.

Miss Anne Calder, of Medicine Hat, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. McKee.

Alyn Johnson, of Rockyford, spent Christmas in Bassano, guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hathorne and Richard, the Miss Bradshaws, of Calgary, and Mrs. Knight and son, of Salt Lake City, Utah, spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. F. Pragnell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whately and family, of Chancelor, were Christmas guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben S. Pinner.

Miss Violet Bramley is home from Patricia for the Christmas vacation. The Women's Institute will meet at the home of Mrs. H. A. Holmes next Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 1.

McDonald Millard, of Castor, was in Bassano on Wednesday renewing acquaintances. He attended the board of trade meeting.

A. T. Connolly left on Sunday for Halifax, Nova Scotia, to visit his sister, who is seriously ill.

Miss Helen Johnson was home from Calgary for the Christmas week-end, returning to the city on Tuesday.

**HOSPITAL NEWS**  
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. Allan, of Camford, on Christmas day, Dec. 25, at the local hospital.

Mrs. Jas. Hamilton is a patient in the hospital.

Mrs. Norman Scott, of Calgary, is a patient in the hospital here.

Mrs. May Burro of Calgary, was admitted to the hospital recently.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank everybody who gave their votes to my little daughter and helped her win a prize in Stille, Dragatons contest.

Mrs. H. H. Beeber.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank all who gave me their votes and helped me to win the beautiful doll and buggy at Mr. Stille Drug Store. Betty McCrear.

**SCHOOL REPORT**  
School report for November and December, grades 1 and 2. The letter R follows for a number means this pupil is a repeater; K means this pupil has had kindergarten training.

Grade 1  
Milton Howe R. Bobby Culbertson R. Donald Burgeon R. Paul Walsh R. Joan Taylor R. Elsie Hermanson R. Betty Stiles K. Bobby Stiles K. Kenneth Weir, Joan Storrance, Nick Chitche, Bobby Wright, Bobby Bolen, Dorothy May Travis, Audrey Cawsey, Mildred Culbertson, Nellie McBride, Donald Fraser, Irene Le Page, Peter Reimer, Rustie Morrison, Madeline Morrison, 14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-50-51-52-53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100-101-102-103-104-105-106-107-108-109-110-111-112-113-114-115-116-117-118-119-120-121-122-123-124-125-126-127-128-129-130-131-132-133-134-135-136-137-138-139-140-141-142-143-144-145-146-147-148-149-150-151-152-153-154-155-156-157-158-159-160-161-162-163-164-165-166-167-168-169-170-171-172-173-174-175-176-177-178-179-180-181-182-183-184-185-186-187-188-189-190-191-192-193-194-195-196-197-198-199-200-201-202-203-204-205-206-207-208-209-210-211-212-213-214-215-216-217-218-219-220-221-222-223-224-225-226-227-228-229-230-231-232-233-234-235-236-237-238-239-240-241-242-243-244-245-246-247-248-249-250-251-252-253-254-255-256-257-258-259-260-261-262-263-264-265-266-267-268-269-270-271-272-273-274-275-276-277-278-279-280-281-282-283-284-285-286-287-288-289-290-291-292-293-294-295-296-297-298-299-300-301-302-303-304-305-306-307-308-309-310-311-312-313-314-315-316-317-318-319-320-321-322-323-324-325-326-327-328-329-330-331-332-333-334-335-336-337-338-339-340-341-342-343-344-345-346-347-348-349-350-351-352-353-354-355-356-357-358-359-360-361-362-363-364-365-366-367-368-369-370-371-372-373-374-375-376-377-378-379-380-381-382-383-384-385-386-387-388-389-390-391-392-393-394-395-396-397-398-399-400-401-402-403-404-405-406-407-408-409-410-411-412-413-414-415-416-417-418-419-420-421-422-423-424-425-426-427-428-429-430-431-432-433-434-435-436-437-438-439-440-441-442-443-444-445-446-447-448-449-450-451-452-453-454-455-456-457-458-459-460-461-462-463-464-465-466-467-468-469-470-471-472-473-474-475-476-477-478-479-480-481-482-483-484-485-486-487-488-489-490-491-492-493-494-495-496-497-498-499-500-501-502-503-504-505-506-507-508-509-510-511-512-513-514-515-516-517-518-519-520-521-522-523-524-525-526-527-528-529-530-531-532-533-534-535-536-537-538-539-540-541-542-543-544-545-546-547-548-549-550-551-552-553-554-555-556-557-558-559-560-561-562-563-564-565-566-567-568-569-570-571-572-573-574-575-576-577-578-579-580-581-582-583-584-585-586-587-588-589-590-591-592-593-594-595-596-597-598-599-600-601-602-603-604-605-606-607-608-609-610-611-612-613-614-615-616-617-618-619-620-621-622-623-624-625-626-627-628-629-630-631-632-633-634-635-636-637-638-639-640-641-642-643-644-645-646-647-648-649-650-651-652-653-654-655-656-657-658-659-660-661-662-663-664-665-666-667-668-669-670-671-672-673-674-675-676-677-678-679-680-681-682-683-684-685-686-687-688-689-690-691-692-693-694-695-696-697-698-699-700-701-702-703-704-705-706-707-708-709-710-711-712-713-714-715-716-717-718-719-720-721-722-723-724-725-726-727-728-729-730-731-732-733-734-735-736-737-738-739-740-741-742-743-744-745-746-747-748-749-750-751-752-753-754-755-756-757-758-759-760-761-762-763-764-765-766-767-768-769-770-771-772-773-774-775-776-777-778-779-780-781-782-783-784-785-786-787-788-789-790-791-792-793-794-795-796-797-798-799-800-801-802-803-804-805-806-807-808-809-810-811-812-813-814-815-816-817-818-819-820-821-822-823-824-825-826-827-828-829-830-831-832-833-834-835-836-837-838-839-840-841-842-843-844-845-846-847-848-849-850-851-852-853-854-855-856-857-858-859-860-861-862-863-864-865-866-867-868-869-870-871-872-873-874-875-876-877-878-879-880-881-882-883-884-885-886-887-888-889-890-891-892-893-894-895-896-897-898-899-900-901-902-903-904-905-906-907-908-909-910-911-912-913-914-915-916-917-918-919-920-921-922-923-924-925-926-927-928-929-930-931-932-933-934-935-936-937-938-939-940-941-942-943-944-945-946-947-948-949-950-951-952-953-954-955-956-957-958-959-960-961-962-963-964-965-966-967-968-969-970-971-972-973-974-975-976-977-978-979-980-981-982-983-984-985-986-987-988-989-990-991-992-993-994-995-996-997-998-999-1000-1001-1002-1003-1004-1005-1006-1007-1008-1009-1010-1011-1012-1013-1014-1015-1016-1017-1018-1019-1020-1021-1022-1023-1024-1025-1026-1027-1028-1029-1030-1031-1032-1033-1034-1035-1036-1037-1038-1039-1040-1041-1042-1043-1044-1045-1046-1047-1048-1049-1050-1051-1052-1053-1054-1055-1056-1057-1058-1059-1060-1061-1062-1063-1064-1065-1066-1067-1068-1069-1070-1071-1072-1073-1074-1075-1076-1077-1078-1079-1080-1081-1082-1083-1084-1085-1086-1087-1088-1089-1090-1091-1092-1093-1094-1095-1096-1097-1098-1099-1100-1101-1102-1103-1104-1105-1106-1107-1108-1109-1110-1111-1112-1113-1114-1115-1116-1117-1118-1119-1120-1121-1122-1123-1124-1125-1126-1127-1128-1129-1130-1131-1132-1133-1134-1135-1136-1137-1138-1139-1140-1141-1142-1143-1144-1145-1146-1147-1148-1149-1150-1151-1152-1153-1154-1155-1156-1157-1158-1159-1160-1161-1162-1163-1164-1165-1166-1167-1168-1169-1170-1171-1172-1173-1174-1175-1176-1177-1178-1179-1180-1181-1182-1183-1184-1185-1186-1187-1188-1189-1190-1191-1192-1193-1194-1195-1196-1197-1198-1199-1200-1201-1202-1203-1204-1205-1206-1207-1208-1209-1210-1211-1212-1213-1214-1215-1216-1217-1218-1219-1220-1221-1222-1223-1224-1225-1226-1227-12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